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EXCISE

Spandau Prison

In connection with our recent conversation regarding Spandau Prison, may I call your attention to an AP news item, dated November 2, 1949, which appeared in the Stars and Stripes on November 3. Briefly, it was an account of an East-West agreement to cut the huge prison costs incumbent upon the City of Berlin for the detention of the seven International Military Tribunal prisoners sentenced at Nuremberg on October 1, 1946.

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In contrast, the Federal Prison at Alcatraz, which houses prisoners of a far more dangerous security type, has a ratio of 1 employee to 1.8 prisoners.

Depending again upon newspaper account, it is proposed to reduce the German personnel to twenty persons, and the inside maintenance staff of Allied personnel to thirteen.

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The prisoners incarcerated are:

NAME:	SENTENCE	AGE
Rudolf Hess	Life	55
Walter Funk	Life	59
Erich Raeder	Life	73
Baldur von Schirach	20 years	42
Albert Speer	20 years	44
Constantin von Neurath	15 years	76
Karl Doenitz	10 years	58

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